

COMMODORE FORBES—
a Palmer of the S. S. "Savannah"
arrived at Charleston, South Carolina,
from Manila, with a cargo of sugar, which
he left at place for the U. S. S. "Savannah"
to be taken to the U. S. S. "Savannah"
at the place of destination.
The Commodore Forbess, of the U. S. S. "Savannah"
arrived from New York, (Savannah)
and the Commodore Forbess, of the U. S. S. "Savannah"
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Receipts and Expenditures OF ADAMS COUNTY.

Commissioners' Office, Adams County, Penn.

Agreeably to an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to raise County Rates and Levies," requiring the Commissioners of the respective Counties, to publish a statement of the RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES yearly; We, the Commissioners of Taxes for said County, do REPORT as follows, viz from the fifth day of January, 1826, until the third day of January, 1827, both days included:

DR.

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By Orders paid, as follow, viz.

	Dolls. C.
To outstanding County Tax at former publication	\$541 07
Do. Ground Rents in hands of James Gourley	1197 58
Do. Do. C. Chritzman	199 00
Balance of George Zeigler's Bond	300 00
Cash on hand at last settlement	2755 70 1/4
Tax assessed for 1826,	7481 16
Cash received of John F. McFarlane, Esq for brick sold	15 34
Addition to Tax Duplicates	11 11
Cash received on Order No. 294, drawn 60 days after date, dis- counted at the Bank of Gettysburg	1484 00
	\$16,984 96 1/4

The Tax assessed for the year 1826, is as follows:

		Dolls. C.
Christian Chritzman,	Borough,	297 36
Jacob Shull,	Franklin,	558 50
Jacob Weidaw,	Menallen,	545 30
Jesse Seabrooks,	Hamiltonban,	515 20
John Brinkerhoff, Esq.	Straban,	525 96
Samuel Shriver,	Germany,	438 15
Michael Miller,	Cumberland,	513 89
Hezekiah Hooghtelin,	Mountpleasant,	529 24
John Martin,	Liberty,	493 88
Valentine Hollinger,	Reading,	503 99
George Duttera,	Conowago,	438 61
John Smith,	Berwick,	414 84
Robert Young,	Mountjoy,	354 09
Jacob Bohn, Sen.	Hamilton,	350 77
Henry Brame, Jun.	Huntington,	363 77
Caleb Beales, Jun.	Latimore,	323 42
John Duffield,	Tyrone,	314 19
		\$7,481 16

The outstanding Tax appears to be in the hands of the following Collectors, viz.

		Dolls. C.
1823 John Snyder,	Huntington,	47 77 1/2
" Michael Snyder,	Germany,	13 55
" Michael Slagle,	Berwick,	90 11
" Robert Thompson,*	Cumberland,	15 38
1824 Joseph Lobaugh,†	Latimore,	28 54
" Jacob Dellon,*	Conowago,	32 30
" Abraham Krice,†	Liberty,	59 16
1825 Adam Swope,	Borough,	125 58
" Wm. Cobean,†	Cumberland,	92 10
" Samuel Witherow,†	Hamiltonban,	144 32 1/2
" John Orndorff,*	Hamilton,	65 28
" Jacob Sauvi,†	Tyrone,	23 51
" John Winrott,	Germany,	67 20
1826 Jacob Shull,†	Franklin,	244 37
" Jacob Weidaw,†	Menallen,	150 05
" Jesse Seabrooks,†	Hamiltonban,	185 20
" John Brinkerhoff, Esq.†	Straban,	293 51
" Samuel Shriver,†	Germany,	184 15
" Michael Miller,†	Cumberland,	290 86
" Hezekiah Hooghtelin,†	Mountpleasant,	224 24
" John Martin,†	Liberty,	158 88
" Valentine Hollinger,	Reading,	195 58
" George Duttera,	Conowago,	99 30
" John Smith,†	Berwick,	143 84
" Robert Young,†	Mountjoy,	151 09
" Jacob Bohn,	Hamilton,	135 77
" Henry Brame,†	Huntington,	137 77
" Caleb Beales, Jun.†	Latimore,	213 42
" John Duffield,†	Tyrone,	168 49
1818 Lewis Snowden,	Mountpleasant,	283 87 1/2
1819 John Ewing,	Borough,	22 20
1820 John Marshall,	Berwick,	14 89
		\$4,102 09 1/4

* Since paid in full.

† Since paid in part.

	Dolls. C.
Auditors' pay	16 50
Tuition of poor children	1123 12
Treasurer of P. H. funds	2221 00
Collectors of Taxes, fees and releases	382 05
James G. Paxton, Esq. services as Commissioner, 1826	115 50
John F. McFarlane, Esq. do.	97 50
John Shorb, Esq. do.	102 00
D. Horner, Clerk—salary for 1826, stationary, &c.	187 18
Officers of General Election—fees	255 65
Grand Juries and Constables—pay	368 99
General Juries and Constables do.	846 62
Assessors' fees	423 60
Witnesses on part of Commonwealth—fees	240 97
Constables' fees	12 72
Bills of costs—Commonwealth vs. Michael Dugan	146 93
T. C. Miller, Sheriff—sundry bills of costs	424 51
Do. Jailor—fees	456 09
Amos Green, for building Berlin bridge	2195 12
Attorney General—fees	94 50
Court Cryer—pay	58 70
Directors of Poor—pay	60 00
D. Horner, Coroner, fees on Inquisitions	26 07
Sundry persons, for work done in public buildings	341 94
Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts—fees	34 11
Treasurer of Gettysburg water company—rent	20 00
Sundry persons, for repairing bridges	26 00
Do. for Wolf and Fox scalps	29 35
Public Printing	156 75
Wood for Court house and Prison	78 65
Road views and damages	177 25
T. C. Miller, Sheriff, for summoning Jurors—fees	78 00
Do. for releases of fines and verdicts	37 36
John Miller, for superintending convicts in Jail	30 00
Harman Wierman, Esq. in trust for viewing Berlin bridge	7 00
John B. McPherson, Esq. in trust for Philadelphia Prison	78 83
George Ziegler, Esq. for books in Register's Office	22 50
George Weist, Esq. in trust for Circuit Court seal	5 12
By outstanding County Tax	4102 09 1/4
" " Ground Rents in hands of James Gourley	72 64
" " " " C. Chritzman	1060 94
Balance of George Ziegler's Bond	250 00
Treasurer's salary	80 00
Cash on hand	\$81,064 96 1/4

NOTE. The following Orders were issued by the Commissioners, but remain unpaid, viz:

An Order, No. 215, in favor of Valentine Hollinger, in trust for Amos Green	\$475 00
Do. No. 269 in favor of Amos Green	450 00
Do. " 291 do. Bank of Gettysburg	1500 00

IN Testimony, that the foregoing Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, exhibited at the Office of the Treasurer of said County, is a true Copy, as taken from and compared with the Originals remaining in the Books of this Office—We have herunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of our said Office, at Gettysburg, the third day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty seven.

JAMES G. PAXTON,

JOHN F. MCFARLANE,

SAMUEL B. WRIGHT,

ATTEST—D. HORNER, Jr. Clk.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County.

WE, the Subscribers, being duly elected Auditors to settle and adjust the Public Accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said County; and having been sworn agreeably to law—REPORT the following to be a general statement of the said Accounts, from the fifth day of January, 1826, until the third day of January, 1827—both days included:

J. B. McPherson, Treas'r, & Comm'rs—in account with the County of Adams.

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We further Report, that we have examined the items which compose the above Accounts, and certify that they are correct—and that the sum of One Thousand and Eighty-one Dollars and Six and three-fourth Cents, is in the hands of the present Treasurer.

A COPY.

DAVID WILLS,

ROBERT MILHENY Jr. &

A Cate Fellow.—A Mr. Somebody, says an eastern paper, we cannot recollect his name, living in the lower counties, politely requested us to send him a few numbers of the paper gratis!—and if he liked it he would then subscribe. Truly this man must be a cousin to another wise fellow by the name of Douie, who begged a tavern keeper to give him a half pint of rum to taste of, on condition that if he liked it, he would buy a gill. Having poured down the half pint, he made a woful looking face, and declared it burnt his throat so he could not endure it—could not possibly think of buying such fiery stuff.

LIE WATER.

A Chinese silversmith, to whom the English had given the name of Tom Workwell, brought some silver spoons, as he called them, (according to order) to the captain of a ship. The captain suspecting that his friend Tom had played him a trick, common in China, of adding no small quantity of Tutenague to the usual portion of alloy, taxed him with the cheat, which Tom denied with the strongest assurance of his innocence. The captain then told him that he had brought with him a famous water, called Lie Water, which being placed on the tongue of any person suspected of telling an untruth, if guilty, it made a hole in it. If innocent, the party came off with credit unhurt. Tom thinking it a trick to try him, readily consented to the experiment. Upon which the captain, with much form, put a single drop of Aqua Fortis upon Tom's tongue, which no sooner operated than he began to jump about the room, exclaiming, "Very true, very true, half Tutenague, half Tutenague!" Hoping that confessing the fact would stop the progress of the Lie Water, which, from the pain he felt, he believed possessed the properties attributed to it by the captain.

Marvellous Expedition.—The Lockport (N. Y.) Observatory of the 1st inst. states, that a Mr. O. Hathaway had just finished the building of a grist mill in that village, which had occupied only twenty one days! In that time the account states, the lumber used in its construction was taken from the forest—the stones brought the distance of 100 miles—and the mill actually put into successful operation! This gentleman certainly hath a way of getting his work done which but few in this mundane sphere can boast of. Fredonian.

Benefit of Matrimony.—A black man yesterday presented himself to the magistrate with a case of rather a novel nature, and asked his advice. He said he was married to a woman who was now in the penitentiary; that she had been twice there before, and he had been to considerable expense to get her out, and he now wished to know if he could not go and get another wife; that he had engaged himself to one, and they were waiting in trembling suspense the decision of the magistrate, to determine whether they should be married in the evening.

The magistrate replied, that by so doing he would render himself liable to imprisonment in the state prison. This idea he did not relish. Alas! poor wain, what could he do. The wife of his youth already within the dreary walls of a prison—and he unable to take another, through dread of the same fate. N. Y. Com.

Some of the Princes of Germany have a kingdom not more than three miles square. It is related of one of them that his army consists of a general, two corporals, three privates, and a drummer. The general is the Prince's butler and steward; the privates, after receiving visitors at the palace gates in front as guards, run round and meet them in the hall as footmen.

Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, Prince Edward's Island and Cape Breton, are as large as England, contain 35,000,000 of acres, and are capable of maintaining three millions of inhabitants. Their present population is 200,000.

Mahratta Creditor.—When a creditor among the Mahrattas cannot recover his money, & begins to feel a little desperate, he sits dhurna upon his debtor; that is he equates down at the door of the tent, & becomes in a certain degree the master of it. Nobody goes in or comes out without his approbation: he neither eats himself nor suffers his debtor to eat; and this hungry contest is carried on till the debt is paid, or till the creditor begins to think that the want of food is a greater evil than the want of money. Traveller.

Idleness is the nest in which mischief lays its eggs.